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CERTAINTY OF WAR MAKES PORK IN GREAT DEMAND.

July Pork Closes at \$11.274-All Markets Higher, Wheat Closing at \$1.12 and 89c-These Prices Considered Abnormal.

way to-day on 'change. The excellent cash demand for hog products and the expected call to supply the army and navy influenced speculators to load up with pork, lard and short ribs. Outside buying or-

of light and closed with a net gain for the day of 1813c, the latter in September. Corn and oats sympathized with the other markets, closing 126%c higher than yesterday.

With a big cash demand in sight and the certainty of war, the provision market started strong. Hogs were 10c higher at the yards. July pork opened 20c higher at \$10.30, but the advance was met with miscellaneous selling and prices sharply declined. At inside figures, however, the urgent demand prevalled and as offerings were moderate there was considerable competition for them, resulting in a "runaway market" and a sharp advance in prices for all descriptions, which was well supported to the close. Shorts bought freely. Packers were inclined to sell at the advance. The receipts of products from the interior were equite large, indicating that the packers are delivering largely on contracts—of lard and meats about 50 cars. Foreign advices exhibited considerable strength and Liverpool quotations were advanced is on backs and Cumberland sides and 5d on lard. July pork opened at \$10.50, and between \$40.57 and \$11.775, closing at the top. Lard and ribs advanced proportionately. July lard sold between \$20.57 and \$11.775, closing at the top. Lard and ribs advanced proportionately. July lard sold between \$20.57 and \$11.775, closing at the opening among wheat traders, from the extreme bearishness that prevailed in the last hour of yesterday's session. It did not last long after the opening among wheat traders, from the extreme bearishness that prevailed in the last hour of yesterday's session. It did not last long after the opening among wheat traders, from the extreme bearishness that prevailed in the last hour of yesterday's session. It did not last long after the opening among wheat the start was partly the result of discovering the riductionsness of the Rothschilds canard that scared the holders of long wheat the previous afternoon, and that a state of war virtually existed. In addition to that, the Liverpool market was again higher. The reaction th the uncertainty of the trade as the effect of war checked selling. The market gathered strength and by 12:20 had recovered the early break. Closing cables from Liverpool showed an advance of 1d in spot wheat. Atlantic clearances amounted to 530,000 bushels, wheat and flour. July rose to 55%c, suddenly collapsed to 57%c, but was greedly picked up by those who failed to get in on the first buige, finally touching 59%c, and closing at 80c bid. May sold between \$1.11% and \$1.12, closing at the top.

Corn deceived the local talent. July opened higher with wheat, but was set upon by the bears and forced off %c. Receipts locally were 43t cars. Clearances footed up \$22,000 bushels. When wheat started up corn shorts ran to cover and bid the price up %c. closing it at the top. July opened %cff4c higher at 22%g32%c, sold between 22%g32%c and 32%g32%c, closing at the latter figure.

Outs followed the course of corn. Receipts were 400 cars. Clearances footed up 360,000 bushels. The market was oversold by professionals early and their covering forced prices up %c. closing at the top. July opened %c higher at 22%c, declined to 23%c. railied and closed at 18%c.

Estimated receipts for to-morrow: Wheat 137 cars.

covering forced prices up \$c. closing at the top.
July opened \$c higher at 23%c, declined to 23%c,
railled and closed at 24%c.
Estimated receipts for to-morrow: Wheat, 137 cars;
corn, 470 cars; oats, 420 cars; hogs, 21,000.

## LOCAL GRAIN MARKET.

Wheat Selling Well and Red Higher-Corn Of a Little and Oats Stendy.

In store-Wheat, 681,200 bushels; corn, 524,200 bush-els; oats, 23,300 bushels, and rye, 6,300 bushels. Wheat.

Corn.

Receipts past 24 hours 42,700 bushels Receipts same time last year 52,900 bushels Shipments past 24 hours 72,200 bushels Shipments same time last year 59,500 bushels Shipments same time last year 59,500 bushels Shipments same time last year 69,500 bushels The market opened yesterday slow and a little lewer, most of the trading beling made before the speculative advance came and at a decline of 46 kg. but toward the close the early weakness was recovered and the finish was firm. By sample on track here at Kansas City. No. 2 mixed, 12 cars at 78c, 1 car yellow at 28 kgc. No. 3 mixed, 1 car at 28 kg. No. 2 white, 5 cars at 28c, 8 cars at 28c, No. 2 white, 5 cars at 28c, 8 cars at 28c, No. 2 white, 5 cars at 28c, 8 cars at 28c, No. 2 white, 28 kgc. No. 4 white, nominal at 27 kg. Sc.

sample on track nerv as countries. St. No. 2, 48849c.
FLOUR.—Pirm. but slow sale. Quoted as follows:
Soft wheat, per burrel. patents. 34.7562.00 straights.
34.356455; extra famy. 34.756465; straights. 34.7564
4.35; bakers. 51.7564.00; low grades. 11.0061.25,
Hard wheat—Patents. 34.7564.85; straights. 34.566
4.30; bakers. 54.0064.15; low grades, 11.7562.40. Established brands and city mills, 30630c per barrel
bleiar.

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MONEY, STOCKS AND BONDS.

Yesterday's Chicago Market.

Furnished by the French Bros. Commission Com-any, room 22, Board of Trade building:

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Grain Notes. A Philadelphia exporter wired that France bought wheat freely last night.

Puts on Chicago July wheat, good next week, were quoted at Sic; calls, Sec; July corn puts, Iliac; calls, 34c.

hold.

A New York message says that within a week ton-nage has been engaged at that port for 7,200,000 bush-els of grain.

Yesterday's addition to Chicago stocks of contract wheat was 59,000 bushels, making about 430,000 bush-

els in four days.

Lake charters for wheat at Chicago Wednesday were

best flour cables he had had since last January.

A Minneapolis message says commission houses report a good demand for cash wheat from millers. The total flour sales yesterday aggregated 100,000 barrels, about two-thirds for export.

A correspondent of a Chicago house, who has traveled extensively through the Northwest during the last week, writes that he has never seen the ground in such fine condition for seeding as now.

The Chicago Record says: Shippers report a sharp break in rail freights, Railroads are said to be taking wheat from here to New York at 10c per 100 pounds, which is equal to be per bushel for wheat and is to 6c for corn, all rail.

The Chicago Record says: Leiter seems to be no

The Announcement That War Was On Increased Liquidations, New York and London Both Selling, and Prices Declined.

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There was nothing new at the banks yesterday. The announcement that war was on caused a feeling of relief rather than otherwise. Banks, however, were still refusing all outside paper, but were taking om 22, Board of Trade building:
Closed
Opened, Highest, Lowest, Closed, Wed'day. care of their customers. Money continues in good supply, but holders are shy about letting it out. Rates nominal at 76% per cent, and firm. Currency shipments to the country only fair. Bank clearings, \$1.957.186, against \$1.957.881, a decrease of \$16.645.

Eastern exchange in fair demand.

Houston, Fible & Co., exchange brokers, quote it as follows: New York, par; Chicago, par; St. Louis, par.

ALL LOWER.

par.
The gold reserve yesterday was \$150,015,560.
The Bank of England's reserve is now 39,56, against 28,40 per cent. Its rate of discount is still 4 per cent.
The Bank of England gained £333,610 in bullion the past week, and the Bank of France increased its holding 2,375,000 france.

Money at Home and Abroad. New York, April 21.—Money on call steady at 29 2½ per cent, last loan 2 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5½ 65 per cent; aterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at \$4.81½ 64.82½ for demand and \$4.79½ for sixty days; poeted rates, \$4.89½ 64.81 and \$4.846£4.84½; commercial bills, \$4.79½ London, April 21.—Money, 262.2½ per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short and three months' bills to \$15.166\$ per cent.

New York, April 21.—Clearings, \$197,737,132; balances, \$2.85,202.

Boston, April 21.—Clearings, \$18,132,154; balances, \$2.17,112. \$2.117.113. X. Philadelphia, April 21.—Clearings, \$15,132,154; balances, X. Philadelphia, April 21.—Clearings, \$11,154,999; balances, \$1,635,835.

Baltimore, April 21.—Clearings, \$2,436,880; balances, \$170,339.

Cincinnati, April 21.—New York exchange, 20c discount to par. Money, 468 per cent. Clearings, \$1,560,600. St. 50,000. April 21.—Clearings, 16,453,700; balances, Sl,478,300. New York exchange, 10e discount. Sterling exchange, posted, 54.81 and 54.519; actual, 54.79; and 54.839; sixty days, 54.79 and 54.839; sixty days, 54.79 and 54.839; St. Louis, April 21.—Clearings, 34.365,513; balances, 550,864. Money, 5475 per cent. New York exchange, 60c discount bid; 25c discount asked.

New Orleans, April 21.—Clearings, 31,535,325. New York exchange, bank, par; commercial, 31.00 per 31.000 discount. York exchange, bank, par; commercial, \$1.00 per \$1,000 discount.

Memphis, April 21.—Clearings, \$221,544; balances, \$71,514. New York exchange, \$1.50 premium.

Kansas City Local Securities. Lake charters for wheat at Chicago Wednesday were enormous, amounting to 1,200,000 bushels, and corn charters were 545,000 bushels.

Good showers fell Wednesday night and yesterday in Kansas, Nebraska, Oklahoma and Western Missouri. Fair weather is predicted.

Minneapolis messages said there is good demand for flour, mostly for export. Pilisbury reported the best flour cables he had had since last January.

| Following are the prices of local stocks and bonds, as reported by H. P. Wright & Co., 739 Delaware street, telephone no. 2634:
| Annual dividend. dividend. Bid. Asked. National Bank of Commence. 6 Jan. 98 115 129 First National bank. 19 Jan. 98 185 190 Citizens' National bank. 19 Jan. 98 185 190 Citizens' National bank. 6 Jan. 98 92 95 Interstate National bank. 6 Jan. 98 129 123 Union National bank. 7 Apr. 98 100 102 American National bank. 7 Apr. 98 100 102 American National bank. 6 Jan. 99 85 79 80 Kanasa City State bank. 6 Jan. 98 85 50 Kanasa City State bank. 6 Jan. 98 115 125 N. E. S. D. and T. Co. 6 Jan. 98 125 120 United States Trust Co. 100 100 105 Bank of H. S. Mills. 10 Jan. 98 125 120 United States Trust Co. 5 Jan. 98 90 85 Kanasa City Stock Yards. 6 Jan. 98 90 85 Nansas City Stock Yards. 6 Jan. 98 90 85 Nansas City Stock Yards. 6 Jan. 98 90 95 M. K. & T. Trust Co. 6 Feb. 98 112 113 Metropolitan St. Railway. 2 Nov. 97 68 70 Con. Smelling and Ref. Co. 6 Feb. 98 112 13 Central Coal and Coke Co. 5 Apr. 98 629 65 do common. 19 K. C. F. S. & M. common. 6 Aug. 95 15 40 Central Coal and Coke Co... 5 Apr. '28 do common K. C., F. S. & M. common ... 6 Aug. '25 do preferred .... 6 Aug. '25 Metropolitan general bonds ... 5 Mo. and Kas. Telephone Co... 4 Feb. '28 Kansas City, Pittsburg & Gulf stock ... Missouri state 3½ per cent bonds ... Jackson county court house bonds, 4s. ... Kansas City city hall bonds, 4s. ... Syndicate Gold Mining Co., capital \$75,000, par value \$100. 

pounds, which is equal to 6c per bushel for wheat and 5c to 6c for corn, all rail.

The Chicago Record says: Leiter seems to be no longer a factor in the speculative markets and the general impression is that he is out of July and getting out of his May fast. But some think he is fooling the crowd as he has done before.

Yesterday's Cincinnati Price Current says in its weekly crop summary: The crop position is not nicably changed. The promise is maintained. Sping wheat seeding is well advanced under favorable conditions and an increased area is indicated.

The primary market receipts yesterday were 425,000 bushels at year ago. Shipments were 251,000 bushels; last year, 116,000 bushels. Corn receipts, 631,000 bushels; a year ago. 200,000 bushels. Shipments, 1,219,000 bushels; last year, 731,000 bushels.

F. G. Logan wired W. W. Cowen yesterday: 'The New York, April 21.-Bar silver, 56c; Mexican Col lars, 45%c. London, April 21.—Bar silver, dull, 25 15-16d per sunce.

pear, 271,000 bushels.

P. G. Logan wired W. W. Cowen yesterday: 'The foreign demand certainly keeps up at a wonderful rate. Premium paid for futures in Liverpool over this market is phenomenal, considering cost of transportation. Evidently our pending war has had much to dwith this, but the fact that no cargoes accumulate off coast shows an urgent demand for present use.''

Yesterday's clearances for export at the four Atlantic ports were, 262,552 bushels of wheat, 20,535 packages of four, 791,200 bushels of corn. 153,900 bushels of oats and 21,000 bushels of rys. In addition, New Orleans cleared 80,000 bushels of wheat, 20 barrels of flour and 20,065 bushels of corn. Total wheat and flour clearances amounted to 525,000 bushels, and corn 812,234 bushels. Government Bonds. Government Bonds.

As reported yesterday by Houston, Fible & Co., over their private New York wire:

Due. Int. due. Bid. Ask.

Reg. 2 per cents. ... 1994 Q. Feb. 109 110

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Reg. 4 per cents (old) ... 1997 Q. Feb. 116 117

Coupon 4 per cents (new) ... 1925 Q. Feb. 116 117

State and Railroad Bonds.

Stocks and Bonds.

Two years ago... 10 6 7 225 -52 312

Car lot receipts of cora:

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Yesterday 51 434 87 552

A week ago 24 226 91 351

Two weeks ago 17 224 53 324

A year ago 11 142 2219

Two years ago 25 278 87 382

SIZ.324 bushels.

The weekly crop bulletin, issued by the department of agriculture at Washington, says: The week as a whole was very favorable, except in California. In the latter state drouth conditions have been intensified. Reports as to winter wheat are generally favorable, a general improvement being reported from Indiana and Ohio. Michigan needs rain. The California crop is expected to be a failure. Spring wheat seeding is nearly completed in Southern Minnesota and South Dakota. Some replanting of corn is necessary.

London, Tuesday, reported a cargo of No. 1 North-ern wheat sold at 40s, which is equal to 51.20 a bushel. There have probably been sales of cargoes made of late at as good as this price, but it is the first time the que

elighty counties.

"It will be seen from these reports that the injury has not been so great by the late freeze in March as was at first supposed. The summary of the reports shows that the prespect for a crop of apples all over the state is good, and especially so where trees were not too heavily loaded last year. Young orchards, just coming into bearing, show the best prospect.

"The peach crop has been more or less injured by the late spring frosts, and this injury has been much more severe in Northern Arkanasa and Southern Missouri. As we approach the central part of the state the injury gets less and less, and in the northern part of the state the injury is scarcely none at all.

"About the same report can be made on the pear and Japanese plum. The native plums will show a fair crop in most parts of the state.

"The cherry has not been injured by the winter or spring frost, and prospect is good for the crop.

"The grape crop will be an abundant one unless something should still happen to it.

"The strawberry was also injured to a limited extent in Southern Missouri by the frost, and still worse as we go south into Arkanasa.

"The other berries show no material injury by the late spring freeze."

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MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

St. Louis, April 21.—WHEAT—Receipts, 13,000 bushels: shipments, 123,000 bushels. Higher, closing 2c for May, 1½61½c for July and 1½c for September above yesterday's close: spot higher. No. 2 red, cash, elevator, 51.62; track, 11.0251.01; April, 31.021; May, 11.05 bid; July 84½g\*Sie; September, 80½c asked; No. 2 hard, cash, 57gr9c. CORN—Receipts, 55,000 bushels; shipments, 117,000 bushels. Futures firm and fractionally higher than yesterday; spot sleady. No. 2 cash, 30½c April, 30½c; May, 20½c asked; July 31c bid; September, 21%c. OATS—Receipts, 50,000 bushels; shipments, 14,000 bushels. Futures fairly active, firm and fractionally higher; spot sleady. No. 2 cash, 27½c; track, 27½d25c; April, 27½c; May, 25c bid; July, 24c bid; September, 22½c; No. 2 white, 30½c. CORNMEAL—Firm; 31.606(1.53). Biran—Strong; sacked, east track, 30%60c. HAY—Strong; prairie, 16.50%00; timothy, 37.50%11.00. FORK—Higher; standard mess, Jobbing, 311.00. LARD—Higher prime steam, 35.20; choice, 35.40. BACON (boxed lots)—Shoulders, 5.25; extra short clear, 36.12½; ribs, 36.25; shorts, 35.27½. DRY SALT BACON—Firm, 34a.64; short ribs, firm, 35c. clear bellies, firm, 35c. CORN—Quiet; April, 2a 7½d; May, 3a 7½d; July, 2a 7½d.

Coffee and Sugar.

New York, April 21.—COFFEE—Options opened steady, with prices unchanged to 5 points higher; turned easy under lack of speculative support and scattered offerings by bear crowds; ruled dull during greater part of session; war news effectually checked outside interest; closed quiet with prices unchanged to 19 points net lower; sales, 11.500 bags, including May, 5.80c. Spot coffee—Rio, steady; No. 7, invoice, 55ac; No. 7, Jobbing, 74c; mild, steady; Cordova, 814615c. SUGAR—Raw, strong and held higher; fair refining, 35ac; centrifugal, 56 test, 43ac; refined, strong tendency upward; No. 6, 4 3-16c; No. 7, 44c; No. 8, 44c; No. 9, 4 9-16c; mold A, 51ac; estandard A, 51ac; confectioners' A, 51ac; cut loaf, 55ac; crushed, 51ac; powdered, 51ac; granulated, 51ac; cubes, 51ac.

New Orleans, April 21.—COFFEE—Rio, ordinary to good, 85391ac. SUGAR—Quiet; open kettle, 21ag 23ac; centrifugal, granulated, 45ac; whites, 4 7-15ac; yellowa, 4645ac; seconds, 25ag 15-16c. MOLASSES Dull; centrifugal, 4613c.

Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Cheese. Butter, Eggs, Poultry and Cheese.

New York, April 21.—BUTTER—Receipts, 4.5:1
packages; steady; Western creamery, 15618c; Eigins,
18c; factory, 13915½c. CHEESE—Receipts, 646 packages; steady; large choice, 72,68c; small choice, 82
8½c; light skims, 5½66½c; part skims, 468c; full
skims, 263c. EGGS—Receipts, 9,291 packages; weak;
Western, 11½611½c; Southern, 19½c.
Chicago, April 21.—LIVE POULTRY—in good demand: turkers, 2619c; chickens, 858½c; ducks, 82
8½c. BUTTER—Steady; creameries, 13217c; dairies,
12818c. EGGS—Firm; fresh, 19½c.
St. Louis, April 21.—POULTRY—Firm; chickens,
7c; springs, 18623c per pound; ducks, 5½65c; turkeya, 8c. BUTTER—Firm; creamery, 15618½c; dairy, 11615c. EGGS—Higher, 8½c.

Flour.

New York, April 21 .- FLOUR-Receipts, 15,250 bar New York, April 21.—PLOUR—Receipts, 15,350 barrels: exports, 32,734 barries; stronger, particularly en
spring wheat grades. Minnesota patents, \$5.4065.75;
Minnesota bakers', \$4,2564.50; winter patents, \$4.906,
5.55; winter straights, \$4,5663.75; winter extras,
33.6564.10; winter low grades, \$2,963.00.
Chicago, April 21.—PLOUR—Receipts, 12,000 barrels; shipments, \$6,000 barrels; firm, unchanged; winter patents, \$4,966.50; straights, \$4,2064.50; spring
specials, \$5,5065.60; spring patents, \$4,9065.10;
straights, \$4,064.60; bakers', \$1,5664.60.
St. Louis, April 21.—PLOUR—Receipts, 3,000 barrels; shipments, \$6,000 barrels. Firm and higher; patents, \$4,7564.90; straights, \$4,4564.60; clear, \$4,106
4,35; medium, \$3,5063.75.

Rye and Seeds.

Hye and Seeds.

Chicago, April 21.—RYE—Cash, 55½c; May, 56½c.
FLAX—May, \$1.20; September, \$1.12½@1.13½.
St. Louis, April 21.—RYE—Firm; 55c bid. FLAX-SEED—Higher; \$1.28. TiMOTHY SEED—Prime, \$2.65
@2.75.
Toledo, April 21.—RYE—Dull, firm; No. 2, cash, 56½c. CLOVERSEED—Active, lower; prime cash and April, \$3.10 asked.

Dry Goods.

New York, April 11.—The dry goods market is again featureless for the moment, though future prospects are brighter than has heretofore been the case. The market for prints is reported slightly firmer in tone to-day, although without change in quotations, and based on this all grades of staple cottons are exhibiting better price and trade conditions. Buyers in the market are not operating heaville.

New Orleans, April 21.—COTTON—Futures quiet: sales, 42.200 bales; April, 5.86c bid; May, 5.89f5.90c; June, 5.92f5.38c; July, 5.97f5.98c; August, 5.98e; 5.98c; September, 6.92f6.08c; October, 6.94f6.08c; November, 6.95f6.08c; December, 6.97f6.08c; January, 6.10ff 6.12c.

Lead and Zine.

New York, April 21.—SPELTER-Unchanged, with 15 bid and 14.25 asked. LEAD-Steady, with

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BY reason of default made in the payment of the promiseory note described in a deed of trust dated August 12, 1892, by John Andrews, a single man, and filed for record in the office of the recorder of deeds of Jackson county, Missouri, at Kansas City, on August 23, 1892, and recorded in book B 598, at page 584, and by reason of the retusal of Whipple Loan and Trust Company, the trustee named in said deed, to act as such, and at the request of the legal owner and holder of said note, the undersigned sheriff of Jackson county, Missouri, as trustee, will, on Friday, the 13th day of May, 1898, between the hours of nine e-clock in forenoon and five o-clock in the afternoon, at the south door of the court house building, on the north side of Missouri avenue, between Oak and Locust streets, in Kansas City, Jackson county, Missouri, expose at public vendue to the highest bidder, for each, the real estate in said deed described, situate in Jackson county, Missouri, towith forty-seven (5), range thirty-three (22), township forty-seven (5), range thirty-three (22), township forty-seven (5). range thirty-three (22), township forty-seven (67), range thirty-three (22), township forty-seven (67), range thirty-three (22), township forty-seven (67), range thirty-three (22), LEGAL NOTICES.

NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administra-NOTICE is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Lena Fink, deceased, were
granted to the undersigned by the probate court of
the county of Jackson, state of Missouri, at Kansas City, on the 9th day of April, 1898. All persons
having claims against said estate are required to
exhibit the same to the undersigned for allowance,
within one year after the date of said letters, or
they may be precluded from any benefit of said estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within two
years from the date of this publication they will be
forever barred.

Dated this 9th day for April, 1898.

ALFRED HART, Administrator.

Leon Block, Attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT—Notice is here-by given to all creditors and others interested in the estate of Warren D. Clark, deceased, that I, the un-dersigned administrative of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the probate court of Jackson county, to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, on the 18th day of May, 1884, JENNIE CLARK, Administratrix. W. F. Spottswood, Attorney. W. F. Spottswood, Attorney.

NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT-Notice to NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT—Notice is hereby given to all ereditors and others interested in the estate of Otto Isler, deceased, that I, J. F. Downing, administrator of said estate, intend to make a final settlement thereof at the next term of the probate court of Jackson county, to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, on the 18th day of May, 1839.

J. F. DOWNING,
Administrator of the Estate of Otto Isler, Deceased,
Dobson & McCune, Attorneys.

LOCAL LIVE STOCK MARKET.

NOT MANY CATTLE IN-FIRMER AND IN FAIR DEMAND.

Hogs Active and Higher-Receipts and Quality Good and Pens Cleared Early at 5c to 10c Advance -Sheep in Good Demand.

Early at 5c to 10c Advance
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Western receipts past 24 hours:

Western receipts past 24 hours:

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Hoss. 14.00 5.090 1.200 1.200
Same time last year. 2.000 1.200 2.000
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15.1094.	4.25	12.985.	4.25	27.1095.	4.25
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44.1107.	4.30	40.1175.	4.30		
20.1108.	4.25	23.862.	4.15		
21.106.	4.25	28.862.	4.15		
21.106.	3.25	2.873.	2.75	2.945.	2.55
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2.1083.	3.75	2.1025.	3.72	2.1183.	4.00
3.1083.	3.75	2.1025.	3.72	2.118.	3.90
2.1080.	3.90	2.1320.	3.90	2.1185.	4.00
3.109.	3.109.	3.40	15.890.	3.50	
3.109.	3.109.	3.40	15.890.	3.50	
2.1083.	3.55	3.1029.	3.40	15.890.	3.50
2.1085.	3.75	8.1290.	3.75	6.1173.	3.75
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ARKANSAS STEERS.
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HOGS—Movements the past 24 hours:
Receipts
Shipments
Drive-outs

Av. Wt.	1771
68	\$5.3
78	5.3
71	5.2
74	5.2
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74	5.3
77	5.0
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OF INTEREST TO STOCKMEN. 

LIVE STOCK BY TELEGRAPH.

BUTTER-Choice table goods in fair demand and steady, but poor dull. Receipts, 254 packages, Extra fancy separator, creamery, 17c; firsts, 14c; dairy, 12615c; country roll, 11612c; extra fancy, 13c; store packed, 19613c; fresh packing stock, 9611c; EGGS-Demand holds up very well and prices steady. Receipts, 747 cases. Fresh candled, Missouri and Kansas, 3c per dozen; seconds, 8c. POULTRY-The demand for hens and chickens holds up well at steady prices, but all else quiet. Receipts, 74 coops. The quotations are as follows: Hens, 61<sub>2</sub>c; broilers, E. 3064.09 per dozen; rossters, 15c each; capons, six pounds and under, 5c per pound; over 6 pounds, 16c per pound. Ducks, 6c; geese, 4c. Hen turkeys, 9c; young toms, 8c; old toms, 7c. Pigeons, 75c per dozen; squabs, \$1.25 per dozen.

stock, 70@75c. SWEET POTATOES-Slow sale, but firm. Quoted

Wool, Hides and Pelts.

highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 16th day or highest bidder, for cash, on Monday, the 16th day or May, 1858, between the hours of nine o'clock in the forencon and five o'clock in the afternoon, at the southeast corner of Ninth and Walnut streets, in Kansas City, Missouri, in the county of Jackson aforesaid, for the purpose of paying sald notes and the cost of executing this trust.

OLIVER H. DEAN, Trustee.

ANNUAL SESSION OF CUSTER COUN-TY WOOL GROWERS

Machine Shearing Not Approved-Movement of Cattle From Texas to the Indian Territory Satisfactory.

Miles City, Mont.,-April 21.-The Wool Growers' Association of Custer county met in annual session. There was a fair atin annual session. There was a fair attendance of sheepmen and matters pertaining to the industry were freely discussed. Machine shearing did not meet with favor among the members, and after some debate it was decided to fix the price of hand shearing at 6 cents, the same as last year. To facilitate shipments of wool an immense warehouse will be constructed at Terry. The present officers were re-elected as follows: President, A. S. Wiley; vice president, A. Laney; secretary and treasurer, J. S. Truscott.

The movement of cattle from Texas to Kansas and the Indian Territory is going on satisfactorily. Mr. Brown, of the Santa Fe, yesterday said they had handled 2,861 cars since March 20.

One of the prettiest bunches of fat heifers on the market for a long time was brought in yesterday by D. W. Heath, of Elbing, Kas. They were of his own raising and feeding, and a very choice lot of short yearlings. The sixty-nine averaged 715 pounds, and were sold by the Burnside-Jordan Live Stock Commission Company at \$1.90, 15c above any export steers.

Captain J. B. Zimmerman, of Triplett, Mo., was at the yards yesterday after feeders. The enthusiasm over the an-nouncement that war had been declared thrilled him through and through and he vowed that he was going to the front.

Exporters did pretty good work Wednesday, sending sixty-seven cars of choice cat-tle to the Eastern seaboard.

The government is now receiving its recent purchase of mules in St. Louis. There were 1,000 contracted for. It is said they are inspecting very close and throwing out many.

H. B. Catlett, of Sidell, Ill., was here yesterday buying feeders for his Adair county, Mo., farm.

The pork packing in the West the past week was 25,000 hogs, against 25,000 the same week last year. Packers' hog purchases yesterday were 10,280, and taken on order, 4,200.

The live stock market yesterday was un-influenced by the declaration of war.

Visitors at the Yards With Stock. A. Muchenthaler came in from Paxico, Kas., yesterday with hogs. Frank Sarver, of Nevada, Mo., was here yesterday with hogs. yesterday with hogs.
C. E. Green, Netawaka, Kas., arrived with hogs yesterday.
Abner O'Connor, Wellsville, Kas., was here yesterday with cattle.

toms, Tc. Pigeons, 75c per dozen; squabs, \$1.25 per dozen.

BUTTERINE—Dairy grades, 11½c; medium grades, 12½c; high grades, 14½c; 1-pound rolls, bricks and prints, 1c over above prices; 2 and 3-pound rolls, 10 and 20-pound packages, 1½c over above prices.

CHEUSE—Demand light. We quote as follows: New York and Ohio full cream, 11½g12c; Wisconsin, fancy and full cream, 10½g11c; Young America, full cream, 10½g11c; Missouri and Iows, full cream, 9c. POTATOES—Selling fairly at old prices. The quotations are as follows: New potates, \$1.90 per 1-3 bushel crate; old, Northern stock, fancy, bulk, Burbanks, \$5c: good to choice, mixed stock, \$4655c; bulk, Colorado stock, \$6670c; fancy, \$9c, sacked; home grown, 10g55c. Seed potatoes, Northern grown Early Rose, \$6655c; Early Ohio, \$6670c; Red River tock, 70g75c. J. A. Glace was in with hogs and cattle yesterday from Fact, Kas. J. H. Burns, Belton, Mo., was in the city yesterday with cattle. S. M. Roberts was here with cattle yes-terday from Fostoria, Kas. at 60870c per bushel from growers.

APPLES-Market quiet, but unchanged. Quoted:
Good to choice, Scotti.00 per bushel; common to
fair, 60875c per bushel; Jonathans and Bellefleur, in
car lots, \$1.2584.00 per barrel; Winesaps and Willow
Twigs, \$2.5082.00; Missouri Pippin, \$2.5082.00; Ben
Davis, \$2.5082.00; California Belliflower, \$1.50 per
box. Zook Bros., East Lynne, Mo., had hogs at the yards yesterday. John Crozier, Olathe, Kas., came in yes-terday with cattle.

GRAPES-Selling slowly. Malaga, \$6.00@8.00 per William Guinane, of Chaaute, Kas., was in yesterday with cattle and hogs.

GRAPES—Selling alowly. Malaga, \$6.00@5.00 per 50-pound barrel.

NUTS—Hickory nuts, large, 75c; small Missouri, 25 @45c per bushel. Pecans. Texas jumbo, polished. 29 doc; extra large, 850c; large, 78cs; medium, 6@7c. Peanuts, raw. 41:@515c per pound. roasted, 78c per pound. Cocoanuts, 13.00 per 100; 50@60c per dozen. STRAWBERRIES—Not many in and what received in poor condition. Selling at \$2.00@5.00 per crate of 24 quarts.

FRUITS—The range of quotations is as follows: Lemons, California stock, fancy, 82.75@2.00; choice, \$2.50@2.75. Oranges, navels, \$2.75@2.00; seedlings, \$1.75@2.25. Bananas, ahipping, Jumbo, \$2.00; large, \$1.75c medium, \$1.25@1.50. small, \$1.25; peddler, 75c @51.00. in yesterday with cattle and hogs.

E. F. Greary, Garnett, Kas., was in town yesterday with cattle.

John Arlington, Kingman, Kas., had cattle at the yards yesterday.

M. J. McFarren, of Elue Springs, Neb., was down yesterday with cattle.

Frank Hobart was here with hogs yesterday from Glen Elder, Kas.

Nolan & Barnett, Glen Elder, Kas., were in the city yesterday with cattle, yesterday in the cattle, westerday.

E. Dial came in with cattle yesterday from Cawker City, Kas.
W. H. Haskell, of Gaylord, was here yesterday after feeders. yesterday after feeders.
J. P. Compton, Everton, Mo., was at the yards yesterday with hogs.
Bacon & Childers arrived with hogs yesterday from Mount Vernon, Mo.
L. G. Bishop, Cedarvale, Kas., was here with hogs yesterday.
G. Kreutziger, of Marion, Kas., was here yesterday with hogs and cattle.
S. P. Carlson, Holdridge, Neb., had hogs at the yards yesterday.

31.75; medium, 31.75@1.50; amail, 31.75; peddier, 75e @31.00.
VEGETABLES—Demand fair and prices little changed. Home grown asparagus, 60e doz. Bermuda onions, 81.25 bushel crate. Florida squash, 51.25 bushel. Florida squash, 51.25 bushel. Florida peppers, 52.50 per crate. Florida formatoes, 32.50 per crate. Florida cucumbers, 75e, 50e dozen. Florida green peas, 51.25 per bushel; Texas, 75e @31.00 per peck, 51.50 bu. Florida wax beans, 72.5 @3.00 per bushel; green beans, 32.25@2.50; Texas green, 75e per 1-3 bushel. Misstssuppi peas, 51.25 per bushel; wax, 51.00 per 1-3 bushel. Louisiana radishes, 51.00 bushel. Louisiana lettuce, 50%15c bushel; wax, 51.00 bushel. Louisiana lettuce, 50%15c bushel; per crate; small sire, 50%75c per buskel. Cabbage, Northern stock, Holland, 41.75 100-10 crate, 52 ton. Florida, 52.00 per 100-pound crate. Onions, choice to fancy, 51.25 per bushel; good, 51.10; common, 56c% 31.00. Ohio onions, 33.90%1.50 per barrel. Beets, 25g 10c per bushel. Hand picked navy beans, 51.25ger bushel; green and wax beans, 52.50%2.00 per crate. Celery, California stock, 20%56c. Mushrooms, 40c per box, Louisiana paralley, 30%46c per dozen bunches; Southern spinach, 33.00%4.00 per barrel; home grown, 40% 75c per bushel. at the yards yesterday. Neff & Trimble, Arkansas City, Kas., were in yesterday with hogs.
Gordon & Robinson, Oak Grove, Mo., were in the city yesterday with hogs.

Stuewe Bros., Alma, Kas., had in cattle Baker & Edwards, Jewell City, Kas.,were in yesterday with hogs.

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April 21, 1898.

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